



APPENDIX A: ACRONYMS

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| Administration for Children and Families | ACF |
| Automated Clearing House | ACH |
| Administration for Children, Youth and Families (ACYF) | ACYF |
| Administration on Developmental Disabilities (ACF) | ADD |
| Agency for Health Care Policy and Research | AHCPR |
| Administration on Aging | AoA |
| Assistant Secretary for Management and Budget (OS) | ASMB |
| Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry | ATSDR |
| Common Accounting Number | CAN |
| Centers for Disease Control and Prevention | CDC |
| Chief Financial Officer | CFO |
| Chief Information Officer | CIO |
| Continuous Improvement Program | CIP |
| Cooperative Research and Development Agreement | CRADA |
| Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 | DCIA |
| Departmental Integrated Management Exchange System | DIMES |
| Debt Management Branch (PSC) | DMB |
| Division of Payment Management (PSC) | DPM |
| Electronic Benefits Transfer | EBT |
| Electronic Commerce | EC |
| Electronic Data Interchange | EDI |
| Electronic Funds Transfer | EFT |
| Executive Information System | EIS |
| Federal Acquisition Computer Network | FACNET |
| Financial Assistance Reporting System | FARS |
| Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board | FASAB |
| USDA Food and Consumer Service | FCS |
| Food and Drug Administration | FDA |
| Financial Information Reporting System | FIRS |
| Financial Implementation Team for Electronic Commerce | FITEC |
| Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act | FMFIA |
| Financial Policies Group | FPG |
| Fiscal Year | FY |
| Grants Administration Manual | GAM |
| General Accounting Office | GAO |
| Government Management Reform Act | GMRA |
| Grants Policy Directives | GPDs |
| Government Performance and Results Act | GPR |
| General Services Administration | GSA |
| Graphical User Interface | GUI |
| Health Accounting System | HAS |
| Health Care Financing Administration | HCFA |
| Department of Health and Human Services | HHS |
| Health Resources and Services Administration | HRSA |
| International Merchant Purchase Authorization Card | I.M.P.A.C. |



Appendix A: Acronyms, continued

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| Indian Health Service | IHS |
| Internal Revenue Service | IRS |
| Information Technology Management Reform Act | ITMRA |
| Invoice Inquiry System | IVR |
| Joint Financial Management Improvement Program | JFMIP |
| Knowledge Development and Application | KDA |
| Local Area Network | LAN |
| Logistics Management Manual | LMM |
| Management Control Plan | MCP |
| Medicare Transaction System | MTS |
| National Academy of Sciences | NAS |
| National Institutes of Health | NIH |
| National Performance Review | NPR |
| Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health | OASH |
| Office of Community Services (ACF) | OCS |
| Office of Child Support Enforcement (ACF) | OCSE |
| Office of Finance (OS) | OF |
| Office of Grants and Acquisition Management (OS) | OGAM |
| Office of Inspector General (OS) | OIG |
| Office of Information Resources Management (OS) | OIRM |
| Office of Management and Budget | OMB |
| HHS Operating Divisions | OPDIVs |
| Office of Refugee Resettlement (ACF) | ORR |
| Office of the Secretary | OS |
| Prescription Drug User Fee Act (FDA) | PDUFA |
| Public Health Service | PHS |
| Payment Management System | PMS |
| Performance Partnership Grants | PPGs |
| Payroll Personnel Modernization Program | PPMP |
| Program Support Center | PSC |
| Rocky Mountain BankCard Systems | RMBS |
| Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration | SAMHSA |
| Statement of Auditing Standards | SAS |
| Standard General Ledger | SGL |
| Structured Query Language | SQL |
| Tracking and Accountability of Government Grants System | TAGGS |
| Travel Management System | TMS |
| Tax Refund Offset Program | TROP |
| OS Working Capital Fund | WCF |
| World Wide Web | WWW |